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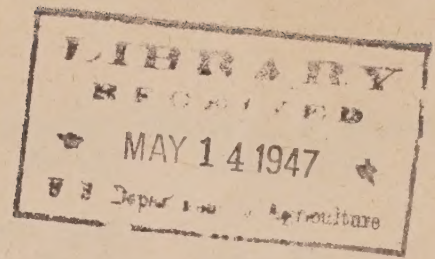
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# Gladiolus

## List and Prices



HOLMES GLAD GARDENS

### Featuring

Burma  
Crinkle Cream  
Elizabeth The Queen  
Genghis Khan  
Leading Lady  
Silver Wings

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ANTONITA (Ellis) Huge ruffled pink with yellow throat. A giant.  
L-.30 M-.20 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.25 100-2.00

BINGO (Canine) Buff sport of Picardy. 6-8 open.  
L-.08 M-.06 S-.04 Blbts. 10-.05 100-.35

BLACK OPAL (Errey) Still the black red to beat on the show bench.  
Consistently good. 8-10 open.  
L-.08 M-.06 S-.04 Blbts. 10-.05 100-.35

BLUEBLOOD (Ellis) Dark blue, red throat, good facing and spacing,  
tall and straight. 5 open.  
L-.30 M-.20 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.20 100-1.50

BONNEVILLE (Ellis) Deep pink, red feather on white throat, robust  
grower. 8 open.  
L-.15 M-.10 S-.05 Blbts. 10-.10 100-.80

BUCKEYE BRONZE (Wilson) An unusual rose-bronze color, dependable  
6 open.  
L-.20 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.07 100-.65

BUFFETTE (Winsor) Buff with red lines in throat. 6-8 open.  
L-.10 M-.08 S-.06 Blbts. 10-.06 100-.50

BURMA (Palmer) Outstanding deep rose red, ruffled with heavy  
texture. 6 open.  
L-.50 M-.35 S-.25 Blbts. each .06 10-.50 100-4.00

CHALCEDONY (Ellis) A good early creamy yellow. Not too well known  
but a dependable glad if bloomed early. 8 open.  
L-.20 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.07 100-.65

CHARMAINE (New) One of the best in the rose class if planted  
early. 6-8 open.  
L-.06 M-.04 S-.02 Blbts. 10-.04 100-.30

CHIEF MULTNOMAH (Ellis) A giant bluish smoky with huge red throat.  
Hard to beat in this class. 6-8 open.  
L-.10 M-.08 S-.06 Blbts. 10-.05 100-.35

CORAL GLOW (Ellis) Good red orange, consistent bloomer. 5 open.  
L-.10 M-.07 S-.04 Blbts. 10-.04 100-.30

CORONA (Palmer) Ruffled cream with rosy pink edges. One for the  
florists trade. 6-7 open.  
L-.10 M-.07 S-.04 Blbts. 10-.04 100-.30

CRINKLE CREAM (Ellis) Very dependable light yellow, one of the  
best. 5 open.  
L-.50 M-.35 S-.25 Blbts. each .06 10-.50 100-4.00

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN (White) Ruffled lavender with darker throat  
lines. A must have. 6-8 open.  
L-.25 M-.15 S-.08 Blbts. 10-.15 100-1.25







ERIC THE RED (Ellis) A flame red. Not widely grown in these parts but a good early red nevertheless. 6 open.  
L-.20 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.07 100-.65

FASHION PLATE (Wilson) Ruffled cream. 6-7 open.  
L-.25 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.15 100-1.25

FIREFLY (Palmer) Early scarlet, white spear in throat. 6-8 open.  
L-.15 M-.10 S-.07 Blbts. 10-.05 100-.40

FRANCIS M. IRWIN (Wilson) A light rose that's hard to beat. Very dependable. 5-6 open.  
L-.20 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.15 100-1.25

GARDENIA (Scheer) The florist's cream. Cuts 100%. 5-6 open.  
L-.07 M-.05 S-.03 Blbts. 10-.04 100-.30

GENGHIS KHAN (Scheer) Perhaps the best pure pink available today. Very popular with florists. 6-7 open.  
L-1.50 M-1.00 S-.75 Blbts. each .15 10-1.35 100-12.00

HARMAU (Both) Good salmon scarlet. 6-7 open.  
L-.15 M-.10 S-.05 Blbts. 10-.06 100-.50

HIGH FINANCE (Wilson) Giant orange with gray overcast. Winner of many awards on the show bench. 8-10 open.  
L-.20 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.10 100-.85

HURRICANE (Evans) A salmony orange that's always been nice in my garden. 6-7 open.  
L-.15 M-.10 S-.05 Blbts. 10-.10 100-.75

IRAK (Mitsch) Silvery gray sport of Bagdad with same growing habits. 7-8 open.  
L-.08 M-.06 S-.04 Blbts. 10-.03 100-.25

IVORY KEYS (Ellis) Creamy white with cream throat. 7-8 open.  
L-.12 M-.10 S-.08 Blbts. 10-.04 100-.35

JALNA (Palmer) A combination of colors-pink, buff, yellow and brown done up into a cheerful sort of mixture. 6-7 open.  
L-.06 M-.04 S-.02 Blbts. 10-.02 100-.15

J.D. SEZ (Ellis) Tall vigorous pink with yellow throat. 6-8 open.  
L-.15 M-.10 S-.05 Blbts. 10-.10 100-.80

KING CLICK (Wilson) Tall growing red. Excellent cut flower. 8 open.  
L-.20 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.15 100-1.00

KING LEAR (Palmer) Tall ruffled purple. Very worth while. 5-6 open.  
L-.10 M-.08 S-.05 Blbts. 10-.04 100-.30

LADY JANE (Lake) Cream with yellow lips, slightly ruffled. An outstanding glad. 6-8 open.  
L-.15 M-.10 S-.05 Blbts. 10-.05 100-.35







LAVENDER RUFFLES (Wilson) A lovely shade of lavender. Not too tall a grower but a dandy cut flower none the less.  
5-6 open.  
L-.12 M-.08 S-.04 Blbts. 10-.07 100-.65

LEADING LADY (Johnston) Creamy white sport of Picardy. One of the finest varieties on the market today. Very good in every way. 8-10 open.  
L-.40 M-.25 S-.15 Blbts. each .05 10-.40 100-3.00

MERMAID (Palmer) Light pink, a good one for late blooming. 5-6 open.  
L-.15 M-.10 S-.05 Blbts. 10-.10 100-.80

ORIENTAL DISPLAY (Wilson) A red that's always been good for me. White lines in throat. 6-8 open.  
L-.25 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.15 100-1.30

PEGGY LOU (Wilson) Rosy pink. Needs plenty of water - then it's grand. 6-7 open.  
L-.08 M-.06 S-.04 Blbts. 10-.05 100-.35

PHEASANT DORE' (Dowling) A late yellow. A good florists' variety. 7-8 open.  
L-.15 M-.10 S-.05 Blbts. 10-.10 100-.75

PRESTIGE (Winsor) A beautiful ruffled soft pink, grows tall and straight with 6-8 open.  
L-.25 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.10 100-.85

PURPLE SUPREME (Wilson) Consistent, tall purple, perhaps the best in its color class. 8-10 open.  
L-.25 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.20 100-1.50

SENSATION (Marshall) Light rose. When it lives up to its name it's a knock-out. Have grown this 6' tall. 6-8 open.  
L-.10 M-.08 S-.05 Blbts. 10-.04 100-.30

SILVER BANQUET (Wilson) An orange-red with silver overcast. Very unusual color. 5-6 open.  
L-.30 M-.20 S-.15 Blbts. 10-.20 100-1.50

SILVER WINGS (Ritsema) One of the best Picardy sports. Whiter than Leading Lady and a little more ruffled. A must have. 6-8 open.  
L-3.00 M-2.00 S-1.00 Blbts. each .25 10-2.25 100-21.00

SNOWBANK (Palmer) Formerly known as Seedling 35217. Tall ruffled white. Very good. 6-7 open.  
L-.20 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.25 100-2.00

SUSAN (Webster) A yellowish brown with reddish peppering in the throat. 5-6 open.  
L-.12 M-.09 S-.06 Blbts. 10-.05 100-.40

VAGABOND PRINCE (Palmer) Mahogany brown with red throat. Very popular variety. 6-8 open.  
L-.08 M-.06 S-.04 Blbts. 10-.05 100-.35



LAVENDER BUTTER (Wilson) A lovely shade of lavender. Not  
call a flower but a candy of flower name the lavender.  
5-8 open.  
1-12 M-12 2-12 Bitter. 10-10 100-100

CRISPING BARK (Wilson) A very white sort of flower. One of the  
finest varieties on the market today. Very good in every  
way. 5-10 open.  
1-40 M-22 2-12 Bitter. each. 10-10 100-2.70

WINEYARD (Wilson) Light pink. A good one for late blooming. 5-8 open.  
1-12 M-10 2-10 Bitter. 10-10 100-100

ORIENTAL BERRY (Wilson) A red that's always been good for me.  
White lines in throat. 5-8 open.  
1-22 M-12 2-10 Bitter. 10-10 100-1.10

PRICKLY LOU (Wilson) Very pink. A very pretty flower - then late  
bloom. 5-7 open.  
1-02 M-02 2-02 Bitter. 10-02 100-1.22

PERFECT BARK (Wilson) A late yellow. A good flower. Variety.  
5-8 open.  
1-12 M-10 2-02 Bitter. 10-10 100-1.70

WINEYARD (Wilson) A beautiful white flower. Grows tall and  
straight with 5-8 open.  
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WEDDING GOWN (Wilson) Another dependable ruffled cream of Wilson's.  
 6-8 open.  
 L-.30 M-.20 S-.15 Blbts. 10-.20 100-1.50

WHITE EAGLE (Ellis) A ruffled creamy white, light green deep in  
 throat. 6-7 open.  
 L-.25 M-.15 S-.10 Blbts. 10-.20 100-1.50

WINGS OF SONG (Ellis) Huge pink with large yellow throat. Show  
 Champion many times. 7-8 open.  
 L-.06 M-.04 S-.02 Blbts. 10-.04 100-.30

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Varieties I grew this year which I consider outstanding but  
 don't have enough stock of to offer for sale:

1. Royal Windsor (Beaton) Light red.
2. Sunlight (Spiller) Orange blending into deep yellow throat.
3. The Detroit News (Maier) Rose-lavender, popular with  
 visitors.
4. Aleta (Grout) Nice live orange.
5. Lady Eve (Grout) White with large wine throat blotch.
6. Poet's Dream (Fischer) Marvelous light lavender color.
7. Stoplight (Lins) A dandy ruffled medium red.
8. Oklahoma (Wilson) Light lavender, gray-yellow throat, ruffle.
9. Lady Boo (Graff) Shell pink.
10. Ophir (Baerman) Nice yellow with red blotch.
11. Victory Queen (Wilson) Salmony orange with cream throat.
12. Miss Wisconsin (Krueger) Beautiful light rose.
13. Dieppe (Hassel) Salmon red with deeper blotch.
14. Mary Kathleen (Kinyon) Beautiful tall white.

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 order, it's safer in the mails. No single item for less than 10¢,  
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 variety guaranteed true to name and free of disease and harmful  
 insects. Printed growing instructions sent with each order.

#### BULB SIZES

L. - #1 and #2 over 1 1/4 inches in diameter  
 M. - #3 and #4 " 3/4 " " "  
 S. - #5 and #6 " 3/8 " " "

Some varieties never make a large bulblet but of those that  
 do I shall send out the larger ones as long as they last.

It's my sincere desire to please each and every customer. If  
 anything you receive is not up to expectations, please feel free  
 to write and let me know, I shall do everything humanly possible  
 to make proper adjustment.









